

# THE PARISH OF OUR LADY OF SORROWS – ST. ANTHONY



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**July 5, 2009**



**626 S. Olden Ave.**

## Worship & Sacramental Life

*OLS: Our Lady of Sorrows Church*  
*SA: St. Anthony Church*

### Weekend Masses

Saturday: 4:30 p.m. (SA)  
5:00 p.m. (OLS)  
Sunday: 7:30, 9:00, & 11:00 a.m. (OLS)  
8:00 & 10:00 a.m. (SA)  
6:30 p.m. (Creole) (SA)

### Holy Days of Obligation

Vigil: 7:00 p.m. (SA)  
Daytime: 7:00 a.m., 7:00 p.m. (OLS)  
12:15 p.m. (SA)

### Weekday Masses

7:00 a.m. (OLS)  
8:00 a.m. (SA)

*Holidays as announced*

### Sacrament of Baptism

11:15 a.m.: 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday (SA)  
12:15 p.m.: 2<sup>nd</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Sundays (OLS)  
11:00 a.m.: 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday (Mass) (OLS)

### Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday and by appointment  
3:15-4:00 p.m. (SA), 3:45-4:30 p.m. (OLS)

### Rectory Office Hours

Mon – Thu: 9:00 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.; 1:30 - 8:00 p.m.  
Fri & Sat: 9:00 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.; 1:30 - 4:30 p.m.

**Closed Sunday**

## Parish Staff

Rev. Msgr. Thomas N. Gervasio, Pastor  
Rev. Eugene K. Savarimuthu, Adjunct  
Rev. Pierre M. Alabré, Haitian Ministry  
Rev. Oscar Sumanga, In Residence

### Deacons

James Buchanan  
James Challender  
Joseph Jaruszewski  
Timothy Moore  
Kevin O'Boyle  
Dennis Slavin

### Pastoral Outreach

Mrs. Joan Bartolomei

### Youth Ministry

Miss Karen Proulx

### Music Ministry

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# FOURTEENTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

July 5, 2009

*"Our eyes are fixed on the Lord, pleading for his mercy." Psalm 123*

## Mass Intentions for the Week OUR LADY OF SORROWS

**SATURDAY, JULY 4**  
5:00 p.m. Leonard A. Brenna \*Emily Sciarrotta  
Maureen Barrett \*Emily Sciarrotta

**SUNDAY, JULY 5**  
7:30 a.m. For the People of the Parish  
9:00 a.m. Elaine Plantier \*Thomas & Susan  
Anna Zoltanski \*Rosary Altar Society  
11:00 a.m. Paul Voilas \*Josephine & Dom Castaldo  
Rita Mattaliano \*M/M Robert Bennett

**MONDAY, JULY 6**  
7:00 a.m. Michael Simonelli \*Diane Runowicz  
Lucia Samparani \*M/M Errol Navata

**TUESDAY, JULY 7**  
7:00 a.m. Frank Graziano \*Wife  
Clara Cannon \*Chris & Anna Milinowicz

**WEDNESDAY, JULY 8**  
7:00 a.m. James Alfonse \*Boehm Family  
Americo Mazzoni \*Babbitt Family

**THURSDAY, JULY 9**  
7:00 a.m. Deacon Joseph Malloy \*OLS-SA Office Staff  
Bridie Drain \*Carolyn Hawkes

**FRIDAY, JULY 10**  
7:00 a.m. Lucia Putruele \*Carl & Maria Vizzoni  
Connie Rue \*Vic & Nick Ballone

**SATURDAY, JULY 11**  
5:00 p.m. Joseph J. Cerino \*Family  
Angelina DiStefano \*M/M George Lanna

**SUNDAY, JULY 12**  
7:30 a.m. For the People of the Parish  
9:00 a.m. Mary Garofalo \*Daughter  
Alexander Arcuri  
\*Grandmother, Mary Halasz  
11:00 a.m. Augusto Zomparelli \*Family  
Felix Scirgova \*Woodcock Family

## Mass Intentions for the Week SAINT ANTHONY

**SATURDAY, JULY 4**  
8:00 a.m. John DeLorenzo \*Noel & Evelyn DeBlois  
Pealma Militch \*Daughter, Joanne & family  
4:30 p.m. Patricia Woodcock \*Brian Storey  
Anna H. Janulewicz \*Pat Carl

**SUNDAY, JULY 5**  
8:00 a.m. Mary Ialacci \*Rosary Altar Society  
Michael Cunningham \*Sister & family  
10:00 a.m. Leo J. Zamparelli \*Woodcock Family  
Howard Fritsch \*Joyce Krisanda

**MONDAY, JULY 6**  
8:00 a.m. Joseph Salzano \*Eileen & Ralph  
Harold Breth \*Ruth & Fred Jauss

**TUESDAY, JULY 7**  
8:00 a.m. Salvatore Schiano  
Davidson & Schiano Family  
Robert Herrera \*Marie Pastor & Family

**WEDNESDAY, JULY 8**  
8:00 a.m. Mary King \*Esther Zamorski  
Marjorie Sharland \*Mike & Jean Kelly

**THURSDAY, JULY 9**  
8:00 a.m. Julia DeGeorge \*M/M David Milinowicz  
Shannon Kane \*Meghan Kelly

**FRIDAY, JULY 10**  
8:00 a.m. Mary Ann Massi \*Family  
Josephine Battisti \*Family

**SATURDAY, JULY 11**  
8:00 a.m. Frank Pellitteri \*G & J Beres  
Harold Breth \*Rose Chamberlain & Family  
4:30 p.m. Stan Sienkiewicz \*Family  
Margaret J. Halloran \*Eileen & John Haller

**SUNDAY, JULY 12**  
8:00 a.m. Patricia Treglia \*Ken & Mary Ann Warner  
Jerrold Adler \*Phelan Family  
10:00 a.m. Joseph Vitellaro & Pat Sessa  
\*David & Florence  
Mary Cunningham Pierfy \*Family

*Please Pray for Our Beloved*

*Deceased*

Peter Grehan

Thomas Griffith

## Liturgical Celebrations This Week

Mon., July 6 St. Maria Goretti  
Wed., Apr. 29 St. Augustine Zhao Rong & companions  
Sat. May 2 St. Benedict

## Weekly Sanctuary Lamp Intentions

One of the lamps that burn before the Blessed Sacrament in St. Anthony Church this week is offered in loving memory of Ida Dumont at her family's request.

## God Bless Our Newly Baptized

Aidan Lou Armenti Cameryn Elizabeth Kmiec  
Isabella Martorana

## ***From the Pastor's Desk***

Dear Parishioners:

A special word of thanks to all those who participated and supported our annual sponsorship of "Loaves and Fishes" on Saturday, June 27, at the Cathedral. Eight hundred people were served, a great increase over last year. Thanks to Cheryl Uhaze and all who helped organize this work of charity. Thanks also to our director of Youth Ministry, Karen Proulx who coordinated the collection of personal hygiene items distributed at "Loaves and Fishes." Once again, the good people of our parish responded to this appeal with love and generosity!

Last Sunday, our parish hosted the Diocesan Celebration to conclude the Year of St. Paul. A concert by the Capital Singers of Trenton was held at St. Anthony's Church. It was indeed a fitting and inspiring conclusion to this year which commemorated the 2,000<sup>th</sup> birthday of the Apostle to the Gentiles who wrote "I will sing with the spirit and I will sing with the mind." 1 Cor 14:15 and "Be filled with the Spirit... singing and making melody to the Lord with all your heart!" Eph 5:15

A final word of thanks is due to all who so generously contribute to the support of the parish. These are difficult financial times for so many and our weekly collection has been affected. Please be as generous as you can each week and not forget our usual giving even if we are away on vacation.

Enjoy these summer days!

With affection,  
Msgr. Gervasio

### ***Witness to our Faith in the Eucharist ...in the Summer, too!***

The warmer weather urges a reminder to all about proper dress for the celebration of Mass. The Catechism teaches that "Bodily demeanor (gestures, clothing) ought to convey the respect, solemnity, and joy of the moment when Christ becomes our guest." (#1387) The late Archbishop May, of St. Louis, wrote: "Once upon a time we had pastors who used to upbraid parishioners who came to church without suit coats, and women with "hankies" or tissues on their heads were regularly denounced. That was a bit extreme. But have we hit the other extreme in the casual clothing we see at Mass in some churches today? Jesus was very insistent about proper reverence in God's house. Are we? Our dress conveys the importance and dignity we attach to something or someone. What of our encounter with the Lord of heaven and earth? Dignified dress has a witness value to our brothers and sisters, sending the message that Mass is the most important part of my week. Let us be more reflective about the choices we make about Mass, avoiding that attire which is meant for the beach and health club or gym! Think about it!

## ***Stewardship Report***

Weekly Collection: June 28 \$16,890

### **Bishop's Annual Appeal (as of 6/29)**

Pledged: \$72,784    Paid \$55,727    Donors: 411

### ***Feed His Lambs***

Love children? Love Scripture? Maybe the Lord is calling you to serve in the Liturgy of the Word with Children. We need liturgy leaders (training, materials, and ongoing support provided), music leaders, and assistants (may be adults or teens—a great service opportunity!). For more information, contact Anne Kantor at 586-6596 or [ark257@yahoo.com](mailto:ark257@yahoo.com).

## **Year for Priests 2009 – 19 June – 2010**

***Faithfulness of Christ—Faithfulness of priests***

### **A Prayer for Priests**

**Almighty Father, renew within your priests the Spirit of holiness. May they be faithful to the ministry they receive from you, Lord, and be to others a model of right conduct. May they be faithful in working with the order of bishops so that the Gospel may reach the ends of the Earth. We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen.**

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**Keep in Your Prayers this Week:**

**Reverend Peter James Alindogan**

**Reverend Angelo J. Amaral**

**Reverend Sheldon C. Amasa**

**Reverend Silvano B. Amora**

**Reverend Angelito I. Anarcon**

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**From the Curé of Ars:**

**Instead of raising your voice in the newspapers,  
raise it before the door of the Tabernacle.**

## Seniors' Activities

### Senior Club #1

There will be no meetings in July or August.  
Trip to Resorts (AC) on Wednesday, July 15  
Bus leaves St. Anthony parking lot at 9:00 a.m.  
Call Gloria (587-1944) for reservations

### Senior Club #2

We also will run buses to AC casinos on July 15 and August 19, so mark your calendar now. The bus leaves the church parking lot at 9:30 a.m.  
Call Bea at 298-5559 for reservations

### Senior Club #3

There will be no meetings in July or August.

*Our Seniors Clubs welcome new members! You do not have to be a parishioner to join the Seniors Clubs.*

## Pray for the Sick

We commend to your prayers all the sick in the parish. While not every name can appear in the listing below, we remember all those who are ill and pray that they may know the Lord's healing presence.

Thomas Bennett	Peggy Seiler Brand
James Cleary	Katherine D'Angelo
Paula Donahue	Bud Foley
Pete Hourihan	Edith LaBella
George Loh	Geri Pallone
Richard Pizzuti	Elizabeth Rauth
Ian Scheuerman	Dave Thoennes
Anthony Tonzini	Virginia Urlick
	Michelle Voorhees

*Due to limited space and our desire to include the names of others, absent special circumstances, names will remain on our list for one month only. Call the parish office (587-4372) to have a name removed earlier.*

## Bingo Assignments

### Saturday: 7:30 p.m. – Parish Center Cafeteria

The Bingo worker schedule appears below. If there is a scheduling conflict, please contact Karen Brisson (587-4141) or Karen Carella (888-4388) well in advance so that other arrangements can be made. Workers are asked to arrive by 6:15 p.m.

<b>July 11</b>	<b>Dusenshine, Esquivel, Henry, Martillotti, Pastore, Valyo, Vandegrift</b>
<b>July 18</b>	<b>Albanese, Angelucci, Boytis, Campanella, Clark, Davies, Dawes</b>

## Religious Education News

### Registration

In order to place the children in the various sessions, we ask for your cooperation in completing your registration as soon as possible. This will give us time to assign both children and catechists to the sessions prior to September 13. We have more than 590 children in the program. We need time to organize the sessions so that our beginning day will run smoothly. Again we ask for your cooperation.

We will be mailing information and the Religious Education schedule to parents by the end of August. Our first sessions will start on September 13, 14, and 16. Our office is open Monday through Friday from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. For your convenience, all registration forms are available on the parish website ([www.ols-sa.org](http://www.ols-sa.org)). You may print the registration form and mail or bring it to the Religious Education Office.

### Attention TCA Parents

If your child attends Trenton Catholic Academy and is in the 2<sup>nd</sup> or 7<sup>th</sup> grade, please make sure that you register him or her for sacramental preparation.

### Catechists Needed

We need catechists for grades 4 and 5 on Mondays, from 4:30 to 5:45 p.m. and for grades 1 and 5 on Wednesdays from 6:00 to 7:15 p.m.

The soul of a child hungers for the unconditional love of God and for the knowledge that God is ever present in their lives—even in times of trial and distress. Are you willing to “feed them yourself” by sharing the Word of God and the faith of our Church with the youngest in our flock? Please come to speak with us about volunteer opportunities in the faith formation of our children. We simply cannot conduct the religious education and sacramental preparation programs without volunteer catechists.

If you think you might be interested, please email [MFrancis@ols-sa.org](mailto:MFrancis@ols-sa.org) or call 587-4140, ext 2.

## Attn: Ministry & Organization Heads

Going, going, gone—that's what the room you want for your group's meeting or special event will be if you don't complete and return your facility reservation request package soon. Our Lady of Sorrows – Saint Anthony is a large and active parish and, although there are two campuses, meeting and activity space is in almost constant use. So if your group is planning a special event, or wants to lock in a room for your meeting dates, and you haven't submitted your request, please do so as soon as possible.

## Around the Diocese

### Theater Arts C.A.M.P.

This full day camp (lunch & snacks included) for kids in the 5<sup>th</sup> to 9<sup>th</sup> grades will be held from August 10 – 21. Sponsored by the Community Christian Choir, it will be held at the Hamilton Square Presbyterian Church on Nottingham Way.

*Simon Says* presents New Testament characters with a modern day twist and loads of fun! The script and songs are rich with Scripture, and the music *rocks!* The musical opens with Simon Peter in the courtroom; he's charged with fraud for preaching that Christ is the Son of God and the Messiah. He must either prove himself truthful or cease and desist preaching. Eyewitnesses are called to present overwhelming evidence that Jesus is exactly who Simon says.

In addition to great drama, choreography, singing, and art teachers, there will be a "tech camp. For details, visit <http://www.ccchoir.com/camp.htm> or call 587-7076.

### TCA Placement Exam Scheduled

Trenton Catholic Academy will be holding a placement exam for incoming students on Thursday, July 9, at 8:00 a.m. Please arrive by 7:45 a.m. A fee of \$50 is needed for taking the exam.

### Hunterdon Hills Playhouse Christmas Show

Come and enjoy the upcoming holiday with the Christmas Show at Hunterdon Hills Playhouse on Tuesday November 10. Tickets are \$74 per person, which includes bus, meal, show, and gratuity.

The bus will be leaving at 10:00 a.m. from the Independence Plaza – Super Fresh parking lot. Parking is available at the bus pick-up. For more information, call Carl Sesini at 392-5087 or Jill Persichilli at 586-1618.

### Volunteers Needed

Volunteers are needed for the 10<sup>th</sup> annual Mercer County Italian American Festival, being held on September 25, 26, and 27 at Mercer County Park in West Windsor. If you wish to sell 50-50's, please call Marion Bolton (396-2944). Volunteers also are needed in the beer and wine court, cultural tent, and merchandise tent. If you wish to give a few hours to the festival, please call 631-7544. Thank you.

### Trip to Showboat Casino

The Happy Days Senior Club sponsors a bus trip to the Showboat Casino on the first Wednesday of each month. The bus leaves the OLS parking lot at 9:30 a.m. The cost is \$25. Call Madelyn (586-4549) for reservations and further information.

### Saint Ann Novena

Are the challenges of life getting you down? Call on the love, understanding, wisdom, and prayer of good St. Ann, grandmother. Bring your prayers and concerns for family, health, security, finances, employment, grandchildren, grandparents, and personal needs, and place them at the St. Ann altar. (Petitions may also be mailed to the church.

The Church of St. Ann, located at 1253 Lawrence Road, Lawrenceville, will hold its annual Solemn St. Ann Novena on July 18-26. The novena will be held weekdays at 9:00 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.; Saturdays at 9:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m.; and on Sunday at 7:30, 9:30, and 11:00 a.m., and 12:30 p.m.

The novena director is Fr. Cedric Pisegna, C.P., preacher, author, and producer of *Live with Passion!*, seen on WMCN (Channel 44) Philadelphia, Fridays at 7:30 a.m. For a complete schedule or novena prayer, please call 882-6491.

### Holy Father's July Prayer Intentions

**General:** That the Christians of the Middle East may live their faith in full freedom and be an instrument of peace and reconciliation.

**Mission:** That the Church may be the seed and nucleus of a humanity reconciled and reunited in God's one and only family, thanks to the testimony of all the faithful in every country in the world.

Everyone deserves a **sweet treat** now and again...

**When?** The first Monday of every month  
**July 6, from 2:30 p.m. to closing**



**Where?** Carella's "The Brown Dog"



Bring your friends and family in for an after school treat and take home dessert  
No coupon necessary...Just let them know that...

**OLS is the best!**

### Casandrino Documentary

A documentary on the Casandrino procession is currently in editing production. We are seeking any old photos, films, video of past processions, both here and in Casandrino—the older, the better. We are also seeking individuals for on-camera interviews regarding stories and memories of past processions. Please call Joe Pica (585 0497) ASAP to schedule.

### Rosary for Life

On Saturdays at 9:45, please gather for a Rosary for Life, near State & Clinton in Trenton. For information, please contact [canon915@verizon.net](mailto:canon915@verizon.net).



*Have You Enrolled Your  
Preschooler or Kindergartener  
in Cherubs?*



**What is *Cherubs*?**

Cherubs is the name of our early childhood religious education program for three-, four- and five-year-olds.

**When are classes?**

Cherub sessions are held on Sunday mornings from 9:30 to 10:30 from October to May.

**Where are the classes held?**

Cherub classes are held in the parish elementary school building in 'age appropriate' classroom settings.

**What about class size?**

Cherub class sizes are usually small (8-12 children), so learning opportunities are optimal.

**Why send my child to this program?**

Children who attend early childhood religious education classes are better prepared to begin formal religious education classes in first grade. During Cherub classes the children are introduced to Scripture stories, songs, prayers, and practices, as well as fun-filled, faith-filled crafts and activities.

**Where do I sign my child up?**

The Religious Education Office has all the details. Please call 587-4140, ext 2, to obtain registration forms.

***Seeing Double . . . Times Four!***

Every graduating class from Our Lady of Sorrows School is special and different, but this year's class of 54 students had something unique: *four* sets of twins! These young ladies also will be continuing their education at area Catholic high schools this September—the Weiss sisters, at Trenton Catholic Academy; the others, all at Notre Dame High School.



Pictured are, from left to right, Jennifer and Jessica Rosenfeld, Collette and Courtney Brisson, Theresa and Anne Marie McGuinness, and Sarah and Emily Weiss.